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For: ENZYMES HAVING ESTERASE ACTIVITY

AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT TO SPECIFICATION IN RESPONSE TO DECISION ON PETITION

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed concurrently with a RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) FOR UNINTENTIONAL DELAY OF ADDITION OF PRIORITY CLAIM in response to the DECISION ON PETITION mailed May 28, 2004.

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this paper.